

That CALUMET BAKING POWDER

was the first baking powder to expose the extortion of the high price powder makers in the price they charge for their goods, is a well known fact. Having befriended the people by building a wall against extortion

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finds another duty to perform, viz.: to expose the multitude of imitators who are offering so called baking powders, claiming for them equal merit with

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Grocers should beware of manufacturers who offer to put up private brands for the trade. Such goods are not reliable. When the label is put on the grocer assumes all responsibility and the baking powder usually remains on his shelves or in his stock, a constant reminder of misplaced confidence.

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is always reliable, sustains the reputation of the merchant and is the fast friend of the housekeeper.

Monopoly must yield to Moderation. Impurity must improve or go Under.

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CALUMET BAKING POWDER CO., Chicago.

The Times,

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 19, 1897.

There Is Nothing So Good.

There is nothing just as good as Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption, coughs and colds, so demand it and do not permit the dealer to sell you some substitute. He will not claim there is anything better, but in order to make more profit he may claim something else to be just as good. You want Dr. King's New Discovery because you know it to be safe and reliable, and guaranteed to do good or money refunded. For coughs, colds, consumption and for all affections of throat, chest and lungs, there is nothing so good as Dr. King's New Discovery. Trial bottles free at Will Collins & Co's drug store. Regular sizes 50c and \$1.00

Probate Court.

Administrators appointed in the matter of the estates of Morris Holmes and Catherine Gansley, deceased.

Discharges of guardians issued in the matter of the estates of Wm. E. Gardner and Lucy A. Teahan, minors. Discharge granted the executor of the estate of Andrew Green, deceased.

Licenses granted the guardian of Eva V. Warner, a minor, to sell real estate for investment.

Order issued granting an appeal to the circuit court in the matter of the estate of Alexander Cummins, a minor. Christina Grout, widow of Bradley M. Grout, deceased, petitions the court that her allowance as widow of deceased be set off. Hearing Monday, March 1st.

Final accounts to be rendered on Monday, the 8th day of March, in the estates of Fred S. Kinney and Jennie Coreson, deceased.

Final account in the estate of Frank H. Banister, deceased, to be rendered on Monday, March 15th.

KATHERINE E. KELSEY, Probate Register.

The man who eats because he is hungry is, thus far, on a level with the brute. The man who stops eating the moment his hunger is appeased is the wise man. Nature needs no more food than she calls for. Continued excess brings about indigestion or dyspepsia, with loss of flesh, strength, sleep, ambition and mental power, and an accumulation of aches and pains and many dangerous local maladies.

The stomach now can do nothing alone. We must appeal to some artificial digested food which can also digest other foods. That is to say, we must use the Shaker Digestive Cordial. The effect is prompt and cheering. The chronic pain and distress ceases. Appetite presently revives. Flesh and vigor gradually come back, and the sufferer recovers. But he must be careful in future. A trial bottle for 10 cents.

Laxol is the best medicine for children. Doctors recommend it in place of castor oil.

Educators at Indianapolis. Indianapolis, Feb. 17.—Five hundred members were present at the first session of the annual meeting of the Department of Superintendence of the National Educational Association which was called to order Tuesday by President C. G. Gilbert of Newark, N. J., at Plymouth church. President Schurman of Cornell university, Edward M. Shaw, dean of the School of Pedagogy, University of New York, Nathan O. Schenck, state superintendent of Pennsylvania; William T. Harris, United States commissioner of education, were conspicuous among those who occupied chairs in the auditorium.

Good Blood

Is essential to health. Every nook and corner of the system is reached by the blood, and on its quality the condition of every organ depends. Good blood means strong nerves, good digestion, robust health. Impure blood means scurvy, dyspepsia, rheumatism, catarrh or other diseases. The surest way to have good blood is to take Hood's Sarsaparilla. This medicine purifies, vitalizes, and enriches the blood, and sends the elements of health and strength to every nerve, organ and tissue. It creates a good appetite, gives refreshing sleep and cures that tired feeling. Remember,

Hood's Sarsaparilla

Is the best—In fact the One True Blood Purifier. It cures Liver Pills; easy to take, easy to operate. 25c.

Real Estate Transfers.

Corunna—J. Desborough to Wm. Currie, n 21 ft lot 12, blk 11, \$2300.

Hazelton—J. W. Conley to Margaret Conley, 100a on sec 11, \$500.

Perry Village—Justin Euler to Eunice Osborn, lots 3 and 4, blk 4, M.H. Green's add, \$200.

I. Osborn to J. H. Locks, lots 1 and 2, blk 12, C. H. Calkins' add, \$375.

Shiawassee—L. Wilkinson to H. T. Chalker, pt sec 26, \$400.

H. Wallace Jr. to G. W. Haines, pt w ft sec 11, \$140.

Eleanor Babcock to F. L. Morgan and wife, 40a on sec 29, \$1250.

H. T. Mead to E. N. Lemon, pt sec 6, \$1713.75.

\$100 Reward, \$200.

The reader of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers, that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.

Address, F. J. CHESNEY & Co., Toledo, O. Sold by druggists, 75c.

COMMON COUNCIL.

Common Council Room, Owosso, Mich., Feb. 18, 1897.

Regular meeting of Common Council, Mayor Irvin, Curry presiding.

Altermen present at roll call, Perrigo, Lamfrom, Zimmerman, Parker, White. Minutes of last meeting read and approved. The following claims and accounts were presented and referred to committee on claims and accounts:

From Contingent Fund—Hazen and Van De Vere, \$3.95; Minnie L. Smith, 375. From Highway Fund—S. G. Burbank, 1.60; E. Die 1.60; C. M. Young, 2.00; F. Sutphin, 2.00; W. H. Lyon, 3.40.

Ald. Zimmerman presented a tax receipt given to Stephen Henderson, and upon which he had paid taxes upon \$200 bank stock when he should have only been assessed upon \$100, which motion was referred to the committee on claims and accounts.

Ald. Parker presented following report, which was adopted: Ayes Smith, Perrigo, Lamfrom, White, Zimmerman, Parker, nays, White.

To the Honorable Common Council of the City of Owosso. Gentlemen—The committee who was appointed by your honorable mayor to consider the advisability of having a new ward created from the first and fourth wards of the city of Owosso, beg leave to report as follows: On the evening of Feb. 11th, all of said committee except Alderman Lingle met at the office of the City Attorney Miner and took into consideration the advisability of creating a new ward. The matter was carefully considered, and said committee unanimously agreed that it is for the best interests of the city that a new ward be formed out of the following territory:

Being all that portion of the fourth ward west of the line drawn from Main street south through the center of Cedar street, extending to the southern boundary of the city, and south of Main street, and including all that territory of the first ward south and west of the Shiawassee river and west of a line drawn north and south through the center of Cedar street extending to the Shiawassee river. That the first ward shall include all of that territory east and north of the Shiawassee river that lies north of Main street, which is now included in the first ward.

The committee further reports that they would recommend said ward be designated as the fifth ward of the city of Owosso, and that the city attorney be directed to draw up a bill for the purpose of creating the fifth ward and changing the boundaries of the first and fourth wards as above designated and present the same to the council with the request that he introduce a bill in the Senate in conformity with the above recommendation.

E. D. DREW, S. LAMFROM, W. H. LINGLE.

The committee on claims and accounts reported favorable on accounts as above presented; unanimous consent being given same were allowed, ayes 7, nays 0.

Ald. Lamfrom presented following report which was adopted: Ayes 7, nays 0.

To the Honorable Mayor and Common Council of the City of Owosso. Your committee on claims and accounts would respectfully submit 30 interest coupons for \$12.50 each, Nos. 41 to 70 inclusive, same being interest on the \$10000 issue of water works bonds of May 31st, 1890, and would recommend that Ald. Perrigo be instructed to destroy the same.

S. LAMFROM, Chairman Committee.

Ald. Lamfrom offered following resolution, which was adopted: Ayes 7, nays 0.

Resolved by the common council of this city that the mayor appoint two persons in each ward to take a complete census of the city.

Ald. Perrigo presented the following report, which was adopted, ayes 7 nays 0.

To the Honorable Mayor and Common Council of Owosso—I would report that I have destroyed coupons by burning same. Geo. Perrigo.

Upon motion council adjourned for two weeks. FRED EDWARDS, City Clerk.

Much of life's misery is due to indigestion for who can be happy with a pain in his stomach? As a corrective and strengthener of the alimentary organs, Ayer's Pills are invaluable, they use being always attended with marked benefit.

State Notes.

Thirty persons attending a teachers' institute near Shelby, Mich., were taken seriously ill after partaking of a chicken pie dinner. No fatalities resulted.

John Dupree and John Craig, arrested for counterfeiting, were bound over to the grand jury at Grand Rapids, Mich.

Peter Witzel, a Chicago and West Michigan freight conductor, was one of the organizers of the gang. He was put on the stand and in his testimony revealed the inside workings of the gang.

A central debating league, comprising the University of Michigan, University of Wisconsin, Northwestern university and University of Chicago, has been formed. The compact becomes operative in 1898 and is to last six years.

A. S. Packard of Covert, Mich., one of the most extensive peach growers in the state, became suddenly insane.

Henry H. Noble, vice president and general manager of the Elk Rapids Charcoal, Iron and Blast Furnace company, died at his home in Elk Rapids, Mich., of heart disease. He was 73 years of age.

There is no joy in the world equal to the happiness of motherhood. A woman's health is her dearest possession. Good looks, good times, happiness, love and its continuance, depend on her health. Almost all of the sickness of women is traceable directly or indirectly to some derangement of the organs distinctly feminine.

Troubles of this kind are often neglected because a very natural and proper modesty keeps women away from physicians, whose assistance upon examination and local treatment is generally as useless as it is common. Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription will do more for them than 99 doctors in 100. It will do more than the hundredth doctor can unless he prescribes it. It is a prescription of Dr. R. V. Pierce, who for 30 years has been chief consulting physician of the World's Dispensary and Invalids' Hotel, at Buffalo, N. Y.

Send \$1 one-cent stamps to cover cost of mailing only, and get his great book, The People's Common Sense Medical Adviser, absolutely free.

Saw the Capture of Port Mackinac. Mackinac Island, Feb. 16.—Ignace Pelott, better known as Gran Pere Pelott, who celebrated his 93d birthday on Christmas, died Monday at his home on Mackinac Island. Gran Pere Pelott was the only inhabitant left who had witnessed the capture of Port Mackinac by the British in 1814.

If You Will Use a Little Reasoning you can easily prove that catarrh is climatic and not a blood disease. Have you not the severest catarrhal attacks during winter and spring, and but little evidence of catarrh during the summer? Yes. Well, this proves it is climatic, inflaming the nasal passages. It is a waste of money to invest in blood remedies. The proper treatment is a local application, and the most prompt to cure is that popular remedy, Ely's Cream Balm.

The Mob Not Hard to Raise. Saginaw, Mich., Feb. 15.—A lynching was narrowly averted at this place. A gang of workmen employed at the Wyllies mill, armed with a rope, attempted to locate Charles Storms, a 19-year-old youth, for the purpose of avenging an assault upon the 9-year-old daughter of a fellow employe, William Dues.

"Bacteria do not occur in the blood or in the tissues of a healthy living body, either of man or the lower animals." So says celebrated Dr. Koch. Other doctors say that the best medicine to render the blood perfectly pure and healthy is Ayer's Sarsaparilla.

National Creamery Butter Men. Owatonna, Minn., Feb. 16.—The annual convention of the National Creamery Butter Makers' association opened in the court house last evening. The interest in this convention is quite unusual and every one asserts that it will be the greatest ever held by the association.

One to five applications of Doan's Ointment will cure the worst case of itching Piles there ever was. Can you afford to suffer tortures when a simple, never failing remedy is at hand? Doan's Ointment never fails.

Boy Shot and Killed. Cincinnati, Feb. 17.—During a row among some boys, John Schwaneke, aged 16, was shot and killed. While it is believed to have been a deliberate murder, the officers have failed to find the boy who did the shooting.

Constipation is a deadly enemy to health; Burdock Blood Bitters is a deadly enemy to constipation.

DOWLING TO BE PROSECUTED. Recently Removed Cincinnati Official to Stand a Criminal Trial.

Cincinnati, Feb. 16.—Considerable excitement was caused here last night by the federal grand jury issuing summonses for over 100 witnesses in the case against Joseph Dowling, who was removed by President Cleveland last month on complaint of the civil service commission from the office of internal revenue collector for the First Ohio district. This leaves no doubt about the criminal prosecution of ex-Collector Dowling for soliciting funds for political purposes while in office. Dowling had retained a number of eminent lawyers and these attorneys propose to test the law in the defense of Dowling after the expected indictment.

CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS

SICK HEADACHE

Positively cured by these Little Pills.

They also relieve Distress from Dyspepsia, Indigestion and Too Heartily Eating. A perfect remedy for Dizziness, Nausea, Drowsiness, Bad Taste in the Mouth, Coated Tongue, Pain in the Side, TORPID LIVER. They Regulate the Bowels. Purely Vegetable.

Small Pill. Small Dose. Small Price.

Rheumatism Cured in a Day.

"Mystic Cure" for rheumatism and neuralgia radically cures in 1 to 3 days. Its action upon the system is remarkable and mysterious. It removes at once the cause, and the disease immediately disappears. The first dose greatly benefits; 75 cents.

T. F. Anthony, ex-Postmaster of Promise City, Iowa, says: "I bought one bottle of 'Mystic Cure' for rheumatism and two doses of it did me more good than any medicine I ever took."

Sold by Johnson & Henderson, druggists, Owosso. 6, 19, '97.

Seizure of a Railway Company's Property. Marquette, Mich., Feb. 17.—Three thousand tons of coal and other personal property of the Chicago and North-Western Railway company was seized at Negawee and shipped yesterday in execution of a judgment in favor of the townships of Onondaga and Au Train, Alger county, for state, county and township taxes on pine lands owned by the railroad company.

Easiest way to kill a chicken is to break the egg before it is hatched. Same is true of constipation. Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup is a positive cure for coughs and colds. Nothing will cure consumption. Does it pay to neglect a cold?

Harvard and Yale Make Up. Cambridge, Mass., Feb. 16.—Harvard and Yale at last signed a definite treaty and a complete athletic reconciliation has been effected. It provides for base ball, football and track athletics to be agreed to by the under graduates' managers, and for an arbitration committee in case of disagreement.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve. The best salve in the world for cuts, bruises, sores, ulcers, salt rheum, fever sores, tetter, chapped hands, chilblains, corns and all skin eruptions and positively cures piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction or money refunded. Price 25 cents.

Relief in Six Hours. Distressing Kidney and Bladder diseases relieved in six hours by the "New Great South American Kidney Cure." This new remedy is a great surprise on account of its exceeding promptness in relieving pain in the bladder, kidney, back and every part of the urinary passages in male and female. It relieves retention of water and pain in passing it almost immediately. If you want quick relief and cure this is your remedy. Sold by Johnson & Henderson, druggists, Owosso, Mich.

DUESTROW IS HANGED AT LAST, And to the Very End Keeps Up the Appearance of Insanity.

Union, Mo., Feb. 17.—To the very end Arthur Duestrow, who killed his wife and 2-year-old boy three years ago at St. Louis, kept up his alleged sham of insanity. The plea had not saved him before any court, and the governor refused to accept it. Duestrow was hanged yesterday. As he stood on the scaffold a newspaper reporter asked him: "Have you anything to say?" "Yes, let us have war," said the pinioned man.

"Arthur Duestrow," said the sheriff, "have you anything to say?" "I am not Duestrow," was the quick rejoinder lovingly spoken. He was shamming again at the last moment.

"I say that we have war," said the man. "I want to say that I am dying illegally. I am not the man who killed that woman. It is all a mistake. I wish that some of you would give my kind regards to Governor C. P. Johnson. Say good-bye to him for me. Say good-bye also to the Countess von Brandenburg. I want to say, furthermore, while I cannot comprehend all this, there must be something wrong. It is beyond all reason. I have tried to do my duty all my life. I have obeyed orders to the best of my ability, and done what seemed to me to be right."

A moment later Duestrow had paid the penalty of his crime.

Peter, better known as "Cottonhead," Schmidt, and Samuel Foster (negro) were hanged at Clayton, a St. Louis suburb, for the murder of B. E. Atwater, a Chicago artist, Jan. 23, 1896.

Easy to Take Easy to Operate

Are features peculiar to Hood's Pills. Small in size, tasteless, efficient, thorough. As one man

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said: "You never know you have taken a pill till it is all over." See C. I. Hood & Co., Proprietors, Lowell, Mass.

The only pills to take with Hood's Sarsaparilla.

You Dye in 30 Minutes

...with Tonik's French Dyes. Different from other dyes. Dye cotton permanently as wool. Carpets, Dresses, Capes and Clothing of all kinds made to look like new for a few cents in your own homes. So simple to use a child can do the work. Over 40 colors, 10 cents per package, which will color from one to four pounds of goods.

Feel Out of Sorts Do You?

...your liver and digestive organs need stirring up. Tonik's Vegetable Pills act on the liver, cure constipation and biliousness. Only one pill at bed time will make you feel better—a few doses cure.

Tonik's French Dye's and Tonik's Liver Pills are sold by.....

JOHN S. HAGGART, Owosso.

Manufactured by FRENCH DYE CO., Vassar, Mich.

The Household Treasure.

A neat case of handy articles, useful in every family—the men women or children. Worth 4 times the price if bought at retail. Will be mailed on receipt of 10 cts.—to introduce in your locality. This is no humbug but something that will please you so that you will do more business with it. Write and you will receive one of our catalogues of other novelties. Address

MANHATTAN NOVELTY CO., 6th Broadway, N. Y.

Harper's Magazine.

The intervention of the inhabitant of the planet Mars, from whom Du Maurier's serial story "The Martian" takes its name, will be the feature of the installment to be published in the March number of Harper's Magazine. Either with design or by a happy accident, the publishers' announcement shows that a paper immediately preceding these chapters of "The Martian" in the same number will bear the title "Astronomical Progress of the Century," and will trace the development of the latest theory of the universe, unfolding a scientific actuality more stupendous in its reaches of imagination than the cosmogony of the Divine Comedy of Paradise Lost.

English Spavin Liniment removes all Hard, Soft or Callosous Lumps and Glands from horses, Blood Spavins, Curbs, Splints, Sweeney, King bone, Stiffles, Sprains all Swollen Throats, Coughs, etc. Save \$50 by use of one bottle. Warranted the most wonderful Bleeding Cure ever known.

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Banquet Commercial: Anna Shuman, a girl ten years old, put two beans into her ear at school, Friday. By Sunday the beans had swelled and the ear was badly inflamed, and the child was taken to Dr. Wilson's home to have them extracted. The doctor was progressing nicely and had succeeded in removing one bean and had hold of the other when she struck his arm, sending the seed beyond reach, making it necessary to put her under the influence of chloroform, in which condition she lay for several hours before the operation was finished and it is probably safe to say that she will leave her ears alone, hereafter.

Did You Ever Try Electric Bitters as a remedy for your troubles? If not, get a bottle now and get relief. This medicine has been found to be peculiarly adapted to the relief and cure of all female complaints, exerting a wonderful direct influence in giving strength and tone to the organs. If you have loss of appetite, constipation, headache, fainting spells, or are nervous, sleepless, excitable, melancholy or troubled with dizzy spells, Electric Bitters is the medicine you need. Health and strength are guaranteed by its use. Fifty cents and \$1.00 at Will E. Collins & Co's drug store.

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FITS.—All Fits stopped free by Dr. Kline's Great Nerve Restorer. No Fits after first cure. Marvellous cures. Treatise and \$2.00 bottle free to FIT sufferers. Send to Dr. Kline, 193 Arch St., Philadelphia, Pa.

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Half Fare to Detroit.

To enable patrons to attend the annual banquet of the Michigan Club, a meeting of the Michigan League of Republican Clubs and the Republican State Convention and the meeting of the Michigan Press Association, the D. G. H. & M. will sell round trip tickets at single fare, good going Feb. 23 and 24 and valid for return up to and including Feb. 24.

E. WYKES, Agent.

THE BLOCKADE SQUADRON.

Charleston Water Front Crowded with People to See the Warships.

Charleston, S. C., Feb. 10.—Large crowds stood along the water front Tuesday to get a view of the blockade squadron. The transport steamer Fern and the cruiser Marblehead were the only ones near the shore, the others being beyond the mouth of the harbor. The following men injured in the gale of Saturday have been sent to the marine hospital: D. J. Regan, sprained knee; G. H. Osborne, fracture of small bone in leg; Andrew Anderson, fracture of the nose; F. M. Potter, sprained ankle; Alfred Feeder, wound on foot; S. J. Hickey, scalp wound. Others were injured, but will be treated aboard ship.

At 2 o'clock the Marblehead returned to the anchorage off the jetty. There were no new arrivals in port Tuesday. The ships now here are the New York, Columbus, Marblehead, Amphitrite, Maine, Dolphin, and Fern.

Negro Burglar Hanged. Charlotte, N. C., Feb. 10.—Monroe Johnson, the notorious burglar, was hanged in the jail here Monday. Johnson was convicted of burglary in the first degree at the July term of the superior court, which judgment was affirmed by the supreme court on Jan. 8, 1897. Johnson broke into the house of C. A. Shields, an old man living in the country. He entered Miss Shields' room and told her to keep quiet. Mrs. Shields heard the negro and ran to her daughter's room. Johnson ran out, and as he did so, shot first at Miss Shields and then at her father. Miss Shields was badly wounded, but recovered.

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